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Grant Information Resource Center (GIRC). *The Grant Information Resource Center (GIRC) registration form is now live on OPGS' website. The GIRC provides technical assistance and information about resources that improve community services in the District of Columbia for its "customers" - District government, nonprofit, and faith-based representatives. The primary focus is to assist customers who either lack computer access or the knowledge to best use their existing computer technology to strengthen their organizations. The GIRC is open Mondays, Wednesdays, and Fridays, 10 a.m.-12 p.m. and 2 p.m.-4 p.m., by appointment only. For additional information call 202-727-8900. [Please click here to schedule an appointment.](#)*



Funding Alert: If you would like to post a **free event/resource announcement** in the Funding Alert, contact Pat Henry at pat.henry@dc.gov. All back issues of the funding alert can be found at www.opgs.dc.gov.

District Grants Clearinghouse: District agency grant opportunities are listed in the Funding Alert. These opportunities can be found on the Office of Partnerships and Grant Services website at www.opgs.dc.gov. All information that should be posted to the Clearinghouse should be sent to dcgrants@dc.gov.

State Single Point of Contact (SPOC): The Office of Partnerships and Grant Services is the DC SPOC. The application is available online on OPGS's website at www.opgs.dc.gov select State Single Point of Contact. If you need additional information call Pat Henry at (202) 727-0946.

Contracting Opportunities with the District of Columbia Government: If you are interested in business/contracting opportunities with the District of Columbia Government visit the Office of Contracts and Procurement website at www.ocp.dc.gov and follow these instructions: click on "Solicitation"; click on "List All Opportunities" and finally click on "Electronic Solicitations". For additional information contact Ajaya.Damireddy@dc.gov

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Government of the District of Columbia Opportunities

Electronic Grants Clearinghouse

The Office of Partnerships and Grant Services is the clearinghouse for the Government of the District of Columbia's grant programs. Notices and application packets are available for the following notices at: <http://opgs.dc.gov/page/opgs-district-grants-clearinghouse> .

District Agency	Funding Opportunity	Deadline
Serve DC	2015-2016 AmeriCorps State Formula Grant Competition	May 11, 2015
Department of Health	Preventive Health and Health Services Block Grant	May 11, 2015
Office of Victim Services	Crime Victim Assistance Grant Program	May 15, 2015
	District-wide Victim Services Hotline	May 15, 2015
	LOCAL Appropriations	May 15, 2015
	Services*Training*Officers*Prosecution (S*T*O*P) Violence Against Women Formula	May 15, 2015
	The Sexual Assault Services Formula Grant Program (SASP)	May 15, 2015

Additional Government of the District of Columbia Opportunities

2015 Green Resident Engagement for Housing Sector (DDOE). *District Department of the Environment* announces funds to support recycling and energy and water efficiency set out in the District's Sustainable DC Plan. The plan can be viewed at [Sustainable DC Plan](#) .

Eligibility: Public and state controlled institutions of higher education, nonprofit organizations, private institutions of higher education and DC government agencies

Deadline: 6/29/2015

Pre-Application Meeting Information: An informational conference call and opportunity for questions and Answers will be held on May 5 at 3:00 p.m. The call in number is 877-784-3995; and conference code is: 3127831.

Funds: Two awards are available up to \$50,000

Contact: Molly Simpson at (202) 834-0557 or greenbuildingrfa.grants@dc.gov

Website: <http://opgs.dc.gov/page/opgs-district-grants-clearinghouse>

Grant ID: GD5950

FY 2016 Justice Grants Administration Consolidated Solicitation (JGA). *Justice Grants Administration* announces funds to focus on culturally-competent and community-based youth delinquency prevention and

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diversion programs; and adult reentry programs targeted to provide mental health and/or substance abuse treatment services.

Eligibility: Nonprofits organizations and DC government agencies
Deadline: 5/28/2015
Contact: Justice Grants Administration at jga.agency@dc.gov
Website: <http://opgs.dc.gov/page/opgs-district-grants-clearinghouse>
Grant ID: GD5949

Refugee Resettlement Program (DHS). *Department of Human Services* announces funds to provide services required by refugees, asylees and certified victims of severe forms of human trafficking; parolees; Cuban/Haitian Entrants; and Iraqis with Special Immigrant Status, who are resettled in the District.

Eligibility: Nonprofit organizations and community-based organizations
Deadline: The deadline for applications is 6/5/2015
Pre-Application Meeting Information: 10:30 a.m. until 12:00 p.m. at 64 New York Avenue, NE, 6th Floor Conference Room. RSVP to Genet Derebe, Refugee Resettlement Program Monitor, at (202) 698-4316 or genet.derbe@dc.gov on or before, Wednesday, May 20, 2015.
Funds: Awards are available up to \$180,000
Contact: Debra Crawford at (202) 299-2153 or debra.crawford@dc.gov
Website: <http://opgs.dc.gov/page/opgs-district-grants-clearinghouse>
Grant ID: GD5956

Federal Opportunities

Abstinence Education Grant Program (HHS). *Department of Health and Human Services* announces funds to provide funding for programs that will design tools to address the rates of teen pregnancy among adolescent youth who are at greatest risk of sexually transmitted infections and most likely to bear children out of wedlock. The program should focus on the social, psychological, and health gains to be realized by delaying initiation of sexual activity and engaging in healthy relationships.

Eligibility: City or township governments, county governments, independent school districts, special district governments, public and state controlled institutions of higher education, state governments, nonprofit organizations, public housing authorities, private institutions of higher education, small businesses, community-based organizations and DC government agencies
Deadline: 6/24/2015
Funds: \$4,500,000 is available for 10 awards up to \$700,000
Contact: Help Desk at app_support@acf.hhs.gov
Website: www.grants.gov
State Single Point of Contact: This grant is subject to "Intergovernmental Review" under EO 12372. Please go to <http://opgs.dc.gov/spoc.asp> for further information.
Grant ID: GD5954

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Employer Practices Leading to Successful Employment Outcomes for Individuals with Disabilities (DOE).

Department of Education announces funds to support organizations that will plan and conduct research, demonstration projects, training, and related activities, including international activities to develop methods, procedures, and rehabilitation technology. The programs should be designed to maximize the full inclusion and integration into society, employment, independent living, family support, and economic and social self-sufficiency of individuals with disabilities, especially individuals with the most severe disabilities, and to improve the effectiveness of services.

Eligibility: City or township governments, independent school districts, special district governments, public and state controlled institutions of higher education, state governments, nonprofit organizations, private institutions of higher education, for-profit organizations other than small businesses, community-based organizations and DC government agencies

Deadline: 6/19/2015

Funds: Awards are available up to \$875,000

Contact: Patricia Barrett at (202) 245-6211 or patricia.barrett@acl.hhs.gov

Website: www.grants.gov

Grant ID: GD5955

Establishment of Centers of Excellence in Refugee Health (HHS). *Department of Health and Human Services* announces funds to create Centers of Excellence for refugee and/or immigrant health to provide expertise in the diverse area of dealing with this population and will build upon existing infrastructure and collaborate with partners focusing on these vulnerable populations.

Eligibility: City or township governments, county governments, independent school districts, special district governments, public and state controlled institutions of higher education, nonprofit organizations, public housing authorities, for-profit organizations other than small businesses, small businesses, community-based organizations and DC government agencies

Deadline: 7/2/2015

Funds: \$5,000,000 is available for awards

Contact: Pamela Nonnenmacher at FSB6@cdc.gov

Website: www.grants.gov

State Single Point of Contact: This grant is subject to "Intergovernmental Review" under EO 12372. Please go to <http://opgs.dc.gov/spoc.asp> for further information.

Grant ID: GD5957

Humanities in the Public Square (NEH). *National Endowment for the Humanities* announces fund to support programs that will demonstrate the vital role that humanities ideas can play in civic life, and will engage the public in understanding some of today's most challenging issues and pressing concerns in the community.

Eligibility: City or township governments, county governments, special district governments, public and state controlled institutions of higher education, state governments, nonprofit organizations, private institutions of higher education, community-based organizations and DC government agencies

Deadline: 6/24/2015

Funds: Awards are available up to \$300,000

Contact: Division of Public Programs (202) 606-8269 or publicpgms@neh.gov

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Website: www.grants.gov

Grant ID: GD5953

Initiative to Develop Juvenile Reentry Measurement Standards (DOJ). *Department of Justice* announces funds to develop standards to document and measure juvenile reentry service delivery, practices, and outcomes. These measurement standards will identify and define key indicators of effective reentry practices and successful outcomes for juveniles starting at the confinement decision (pre- and post-adjudication), moving through reintegration into the community, and for a meaningful period post-release. The practice measures should be flexible and address variations in types and length of confinement.

Eligibility: City or township governments, public and state controlled institutions of higher education, nonprofit organizations, private institutions of higher education, for-profit organizations other than small businesses, small businesses and DC government agencies

Deadline: 6/10/2015

Funds: Awards are available up to \$750,000

Contact: Support Desk at support@grants.gov

Website: www.grants.gov

Grant ID: GD5952

Foundation Opportunities

Earth Savers Club Grants. *Greening Forward* announces funds to support teams of youth volunteers (ages 5-25) for projects that will help improve the environment through community beautification, recycling and waste reduction, Earth Day celebration/special events, environmental education, water quality monitoring, green space creation, and urban farming.

Eligibility: Nonprofit organizations

Deadline: None

Contact: Greening Forward at (855) 326-8336 or esc@greeningforward.org

Website: <http://greeningforward.org/grants/>

Grant ID: GD5958

Grief Reach Community Expansion Grants. *National Alliance for Grieving Children* announces funds to provide support for children's bereavement programs in order to expand their reach to underserved youth populations.

Eligibility: Nonprofit organizations

Deadline: 7/31/2015

Funds: Six awards are available up to \$25,000

Contact: Megan Lopez at Megan.Lopez@childrengrieve.org

Website: <http://www.childrengrieve.org/grief-reach-community-expansion-grants>

Grant ID: GD5951

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Additional Funding Resources and Announcements

Call for Community Grant Reviewers. Serve DC – The Mayor's Office on Volunteerism is announcing a call for community grant reviewers for the 2015 AmeriCorps State Formula Grant Competition and the 2015 AmeriCorps Youth Opportunity Funding Grant Competition. As a grant reviewer this will be an excellent opportunity to network with colleagues in the national service field, learn more about the grant-making process, develop your grant-writing skills, and contribute your knowledge and experience to Serve DC's efforts to select high-quality Washington, DC-based programs for AmeriCorps funding. Reviewers may be community service practitioners, educators, college students, national service alumni, people working in foundations, individuals working on public policy issues, or people who work for organizations affiliated with AmeriCorps, Senior Corps, or other national service programs. If interested please email your resume to Pamela Weinberg at pamela.weinberg@dc.gov by noon on April 30.

Previous Funding Resources and Announcements

Youth Opportunity AmeriCorps Notice of Funding Availability. The Corporation for National and Community Service (CNCS) is announcing funding for the Youth Opportunity AmeriCorps grant program. Youth Opportunity AmeriCorps is jointly sponsored by CNCS and the Department of Justice Office of Juvenile Justice and Delinquency Prevention (OJJDP). This program is consistent with the missions of OJJDP, CNCS, and the objectives of the My Brother's Keeper initiative to provide mentoring opportunities for young people. AmeriCorps grants are awarded to eligible applicants proposing to engage AmeriCorps members in evidence-based or evidence-informed interventions to strengthen communities. Grant funding and AmeriCorps member positions will be awarded to successful applicants to enroll Disconnected Youth, between the ages of 17-25 years old, who have been adjudicated in the juvenile justice system, convicted in the criminal justice system, or identified as at-risk of incarceration, to serve as AmeriCorps members. Recipients will also need to enroll additional members to provide mentoring and coaching to the Disconnected Youth members throughout their service. A notice of intent to apply is highly encourage and due April 20 and applications are due May 20.

Department of Housing and Community Development (DHCD) Ward-by-Ward Check-In Community Meeting Series. The D.C. Department of Housing and Community Development (DHCD) is conducting a three month community meeting series in all eight wards. These meetings are designed to seek feedback and suggestions from community members to help shape the future of affordable housing throughout the District. Additionally, the agency seeks to inform residents, business owners, and other community members of the agency's programs and services, current and future projects, and the Fiscal year (FY) 2016 affordable housing budget. To register and for more information visit <http://dhcd.dc.gov/node/1044362>

The Robert Wood Johnson Foundation Sports Award. The Robert Wood Johnson Foundation Sports Award celebrates individuals and organizations that make their communities healthier through sports, is now accepting applications for the 2015 honor. The Award recognizes the ways in which sports influence healthy change in communities by helping children maintain a healthy weight, creating safe play environments, encouraging positive behaviors, eliminating bullying, abuse and violence, and expanding opportunities for children living in poverty. Deadline for applications is May 13. For more information visit <http://www.rwjf.org/en/library/articles-and-news/2015/03/robert-wood-johnson-foundation-sports-award-accepting-application.html>.

DC Community Heritage Project Grant (DCCHP). The DCCHP is a partnership between the Humanities Council and the DC Historic Preservation Office. This program is designed to provide grants up to \$2,500 and support to community leaders interested in preserving the history, architecture, and collective memory of their neighborhoods. The DCCHP is local history at a grassroots level, placing control of the narrative in the hands of those who create it. These grants are awarded in mid-June, and the final product is due in October. In December, each DCCHP grantees present their work at the DC Community Heritage Project Showcase and Symposium, a public event celebrating historic preservation in Washington, DC. Past grantees have produced documentary films, oral history projects, digital archives, walking tours, and many other types of educational materials. Deadline for applications is May 8th. For more information and to apply visit <http://www.wdchumanities.org/humanities-project-funding/dcchp-grant/>

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GlobalGiving June Open Challenge. Last year GlobalGiving helped connect its partners to over \$32 million in donations and they are now looking for new nonprofit partners to join their community. Apply by April 24th to join the June Open Challenge and your organization will have a chance to receive fundraising training, one-on-one support to craft your campaign, and an opportunity to raise serious money for your organization plus compete for your share of \$20,000 in bonus and matching funding. For more information visit <https://www.thunderclap.it/projects/24388-june-2015-open-challenge>

DC Commission on the Arts and Humanities Call for Advisory Review Panelists. The DC Commission on the Arts and Humanities (DCCAH) is seeking advisory review panelists for the FY16 grant season. Panelists are integral to the DCCAH's grants process because they review applications, provide comments, and score applications in order to recommend recipients of DCCAH grant awards. Residents of the District of Columbia metropolitan area are encouraged to nominate themselves or their peers to serve as a panelist. Selected panelists will demonstrate expertise through involvement in one or more sectors of the creative economy in the District for a minimum of two years. Individuals with arts and humanities backgrounds make the strongest candidates (i.e. artists, arts administrators, arts educators, gallery professionals, curators, art critics, etc.) The DCCAH supports panel diversity in all forms: age, race, gender, disabilities, sexual orientation, artistic discipline, location. Deadline for applications is May 22. For more information <http://dcarts.dc.gov/page/fy16-call-panelists>

CharityWorks Grant Opportunity. CharityWorks is now accepting applications from qualified non-profits to be their 2016 partner. CharityWorks is a volunteer-led organization that unites corporate leaders, donors and volunteers in a dynamic partnership with high-performing non-profit organizations. Each year, they develop and implement cost-effective fundraising programs for their partners, and bring worthwhile opportunities for social investing to the attention of our donors. For 2016, they are seeking two partners: a military charity that supports service members and their families (and has some nexus to the Washington, D.C. metropolitan area), and a local non-profit that helps families and children in need in the Washington, D.C. metropolitan area. The deadline to submit applications is May 1. For more information visit http://www.charityworksdc.org/doc/Partner_Application.pdf

The Bollinger Foundation 2015 Grant Awards. The Bollinger Foundation is announcing its 2015 grant awards that provide assistance for families who have lost a parent or guardian where either the deceased or surviving parent or guardian worked or continues to work in the field of public housing, community development, or economic development. Grants are primarily awarded for educational expenses, including special educational needs, school materials, and college tuition. Deadline to submit an application is May 15. For more information visit their website www.bollingerfoundation.org.

The Home Depot Foundation: Community Impact Grants Program. The Home Depot Foundation Community Impact Grants Program provides support to nonprofit organizations and public service agencies that are using the power of volunteers to improve the physical health of their communities. Proposals for the following community improvement activities will be considered: repairs, refurbishments, and modifications to low-income and/or transitional veteran's housing or community facilities (schools, community centers, senior centers, etc.); weatherizing or increasing energy efficiency of low-income and/or transitional veteran's housing or community facilities; engaging veterans as volunteers to help other veterans in their community through service projects focusing on the renovation, repair, and improvement of homes and other properties serving veterans; and planting trees or community gardens and/or landscaping community facilities that serve veterans. Priority will be given to projects for veterans that include housing repairs, modifications, and weatherization work. Grants of up to \$5,000 are made in the form of The Home Depot gift cards for the purchase of tools, materials, or services. Deadline for applications is September 1, 2015. For more information visit <http://homedepotfoundation.org/page/applying-for-a-grant>

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